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DEBORAH T. PORITZ ATTORNEY GENERAL OF NEW JERSEY ORIGINAL AND COPY FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK AS DEPUTY CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.
J. NORRIS HARDING, J.S.C.

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ORDERED that a copy of this Order be served on all counsel within 7 days.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY CHANCERY DIVISION - MIDDLESEX COUNTY DOCKET NO. C-225-95

DEBORAH T. PORITZ, Attorney General of the State of New Jersey, and NEW JERSEY BOARD OF DENTISTRY,

Civil Action

ORDER

Plaintiffs,

v.

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ROMEO LADAO

Defendant.

This matter having been opened to the Court by Deborah T. Poritz, Attorney General of the State of New Jersey, by Joyce Brown, Deputy Attorney General, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-18 and 45:1-23 as well as R. 4:52-1 on allegations that defendant Romeo Ladao has been engaging in the unlicensed practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey and seeking an Order permanently enjoining defendant from engaging in the unlicensed practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey and for costs and penalties pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-25, and it further appearing that on August 29, 1995, Joyce Brown, Deputy Attorney General having appeared on behalf of the plaintiffs, the defendant having appeared along with counsel, Richard A. Fazzari, Esq., to place a settlement agreement on the record, and it further appearing that the

parties have amicably reached an agreement which is set forth hereafter, and for good cause shown;

IT IS THEREFORE, ON THIS

DAY OF

,1995,

- 1. ORDERED that Romeo Ladao is permanently enjoined from engaging in or offering to engage in the practice of dentistry in the State of New Jersey until he obtains a New Jersey license to do so, and it is further;
- 2. ORDERED that the defendant shall remove from his residence located at 1401 Durham Avenue, South Plainfield, New Jersey or office space owned, leased, occupied and used by him in this State, any dental chairs, cuspidor, x-ray equipment customarily used for the practice of dentistry, and it is further;
- 3. ORDERED that within thirty (30) days of August 29, 1995, the defendant shall notify in writing any patient treated at the 1401 Durham Avenue, South Plainfield, New Jersey location that defendant is no longer practicing dentistry in this State and shall also provide information concerning the procedure for patients to retrieve their dental records from defendant. A copy of all notifications sent pursuant to this paragraph shall be submitted to the Board at the time such notifications are sent to patients.
- 4. ORDERED that within ten (10) business days of August 29, 1995, defendant shall remove any dental chairs, cuspidor, and x-ray equipment used for the practice of dentistry at the 1401 Durham Avenue, South Plainfield location. Thereafter, agents of the Attorney General are authorized to inspect the premises at 1401 Durham Avenue, South Plainfield, New Jersey on September 15, 1995 during normal business

hours to verify that defendant has removed dental instruments and equipment as required herein.

- ORDERED that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-25, defendant shall pay costs of the State's investigation and prosecution of this matter in the amount of \$5,809.16, and a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,500 for a total of \$7,309.16. Said amount shall be due and owing immediately, however, defendant shall be permitted to make payment in three installments. The first installment of \$2,436.38 shall be made when defendant tenders a signed copy of this Order. installment of \$2,436.38 shall be made on or before October 15, 1995 and the third installment of \$2,436.40 shall be made on or before November 15, 1995. In the event that a monthly payment is not received within five days of its due date, the entire balance of the civil penalty and costs shall become due and owing. All payments shall be made by certified check or money order payable to the State of New Jersey, and sent to the State Board of Dentistry, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101, and it is further;
- 6. ORDERED that the complaint filed under Docket No. C-225-95 is hereby dismissed, and it is further;

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J. Norris Harding, J.S.C.

Romeo Ladao

DEBORAH T. PORITZ ATTORNEY GENERAL OF NEW JERSEY

: <u>Joyce Brown</u>, Deputy Attorney General